(ख) और (ग) वर्ष 1992-93 के दौरान, जिस अवधि की जानकारी उपलब्ध है, सरकारी क्षेत्र के 17 उद्यमों में से सरकारी क्षेत्र के 5 उद्यमों अर्थात् भारत इम्यूनोलाजिकल एण्ड बायोलाजिकल कंपनी लि०, भारत लेदर कारपोरेशन, कानपुर टेक्सटाईल लि०, एलिन मिल्स कंपनी लि० और तेल एवं प्राकृतिक गैस आयोग ने लाभकारिता में सुधार दर्शाया है । निवल लाभ/हानि की 5 वर्षों की प्रवृति का कंपनी-वार ब्यौरा 1992-93 के लोक उद्यम सर्वेक्षण के खण्ड-I के पृष्ठ-विवरण-43 में विवरण-52 में दिया गया है ।

(घ) लाभकारिता में सुधार करने के लिये उद्यम-वार अलग-अलग उपाय किये जाते हैं । बहरहाल, इस संबंध में किए गए उपायों में समझौता ज्ञापन पर हस्ताक्षर करना, निदेशक मण्डल का व्यावसायीकरण, निदेशक मण्डल को अधिक शक्तियों का प्रत्यायोजन, रूग्ण उद्यमों के लिये पुनरूद्धार/पुनर्स्थापना पैकेज तैयार करने के लिए उन्हे औद्योगिक एवं वित्तीय पुनर्गठन मण्डल को भेजना, विविधिकरण और उत्पाद-मिश्र,, प्रौद्योगिकी उन्नयन आदि शामिल हैं ।

Purchase preference policy

7025. SHRI G. SWAMINATHAN: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Purchase preference policy vide Government O.M. No. GL. 001/83-23/1.83-BPE/MM dated 20th April, 1983 is extended to Public Enterprises in competition with Private Enterprises only;

(b) if not, whether the Purchase preference policy can be extended to a particular Public Enterprise against another Public Enterprise on selective basis; and

(c) undre what Government direction/ O.M. the same is being done?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SMT. KRISHNA SAHI): (a) to (c) The Government O.M. No. GL-001/83-23/1/83-BPE/MM dated 20th April, 1983 and others on Price and Purchase Preference were superseded by an O.M. of January 1992 allowing only Purchase Preference of Central Government enterprises while dealing with other Central Government enterprises and with the Central Government. The O.M. was issued with due approval of the Government.

Status of State Government Undertakings

7026. SHRI G. SWAMINATHAN: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the State Government Undertakings are also considered as Public Enterprises; and

(b) if not, what is the basis on which they are differentiated from Central Government Undertakings?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SMT. KRISHNA SAHI): (a) and (b) Section 617 of the Companies Act, 1956 defines a Government company. If in such a company the major shareholding and control is that of the State Government then it is a State Government Undertaking. Conversely, if the major share holding and control is that of the Central Government then it is a Central Government Undertaking. In addition, statutary corporations can be established. Both Central and State Government Undertakings/Corporations are public enterprises, the latter category being normally referred to as State level public enterprises (SLPEs).

Small scale industries in Uttar Pradesh

7027. SHRI MOHAMMED AFZAL *alias* MEEM AFZAL: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) what is the District-wise number of Small Scale Industries set up at present in Uttar Pradesh;

(b) what is the number of persons working in these industries on daily wages and monthly wages, separately;